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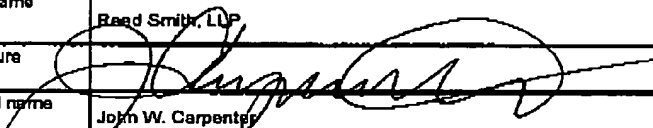
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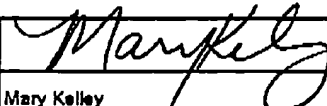
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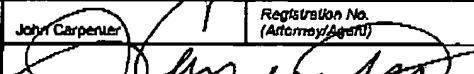
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MINORU HORII

For: Printer and Printing Method (As Amended)

Application No. 09/517,149

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Examiner: Poon, King Y.

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In response to the final Office Action dated December 8, 2005, please amend the above identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.